



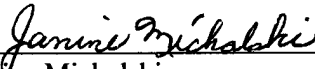
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 16, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this amendment.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this amendment.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

- [X] Amendment
- [X] Petition for Two Month Extension of Time
- [X] Return Receipt Postcard

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Addl. Fee
TOTAL CLAIMS	38	-	37	=	1 X	\$18.00 =	\$ 18.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	-	3	=	1 X	\$86.00 =	\$ 86.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						=	\$
PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME						=	\$420.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						=	\$524.00

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If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$524.00 is enclosed to cover the additional claims fee. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to Deposit Account 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward B. Rhyne, et al., Applicants

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